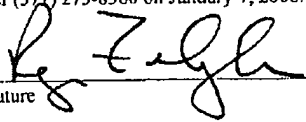


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## RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed September 6, 2007, Applicants submit this response and respectfully request reconsideration of the Examiner's rejections.

Petition for Extension of Time

Applicants petition for a one-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 up to and including January 7, 2008. Applicants note that January 6, 2008 was a Sunday and that Monday, January 7, 2008 was the first business day following Sunday, January 6, 2008. Applicants hereby authorize and instruct the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office to charge Deposit Account No. 02-0383 (matter 016295.1533) in the amount of \$120.00 for the fee associated with the extension of time and for any additional charges necessary for the filing of this response.

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